

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: HIRAMATSU et al
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For: Fluid Pressure Actuator
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Examiner: F. Lopez
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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner For Patents
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January 8, 2009

Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application, in response to the Office Action dated October 8, 2008. The amendments are as listed below.

Amendments to the Claims;

Remarks are included following the amendments.